

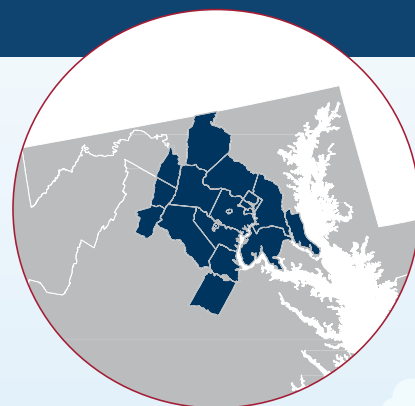


AMERICAN HOUSING SURVEY 2015 RESULTS

WASHINGTON / ARLINGTON / ALEXANDRIA METROPOLITAN AREA

2,144,100

Housing Units In the Washington /
Arlington / Alexandria Metropolitan Area



Neighborhood Assets

67%

of households
agree **"This
neighborhood has
good bus, subway
or commuter bus
service."**

5%

of households
agree **"This
neighborhood has
a lot of serious
crime."**

92%

of households agree
**"This neighborhood
has good schools."**

50%

of households report that
**it is important to live near arts and
cultural events**

91%

of these households are
**satisfied with the arts and cultural
events in their neighborhood**

Housing Quality



4% of
households live
in **inadequate
housing**

816,000
households have made
some home improvement
in past 2 years



8% of
households
report their
**water is not
safe to drink**



39% of these
households cite
**energy efficiency
as a reason for
improvements**



3% of
households
have **tobacco
smoke inside
the home daily**



4% of
households cite
**accessibility for
elderly or disabled
persons as a reason
for improvements**

Housing Costs

43,400
households received
housing counseling

83% reported that
their housing
counseling was helpful

\$1,595 was the
**median monthly cost
of housing**



\$2,000
was the **median
expenditure on home
improvement projects
in past 2 years**

15% of households
pay at least **half their
monthly income
for housing**



31%
of these
households
report **food
insecurity
in the past
30 days**

